

# SEPTEMBER

## Weekdays

### FOOD TRUCKS IN TRAVIS PARK

Join us for delicious food trucks every Mon. – Fri. at 11 a.m. – 2 p.m. in Travis Park! Free. 301 E. Travis St. Visit [TravisParkSA.com](http://TravisParkSA.com) for details.

## 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

### FITNESS IN THE PARK, LUNCH CRUNCH, CIRCUIT TRAINING

Join us for Fitness in the Park every Tuesday. Give our Lunch Crunch and Circuit Training classes a shot and get fit for your lunch hour. Free. 11:30 a.m.-noon, noon – 12:30 p.m. 301 E. Travis St. Visit [TravisParkSA.com](http://TravisParkSA.com) for details.

## 3 - 6

### SHAKESPEARE IN THE PARK

For Labor Day weekend, the Magik Theatre will transform La Villita into a Shakespearean Renaissance village, filled with food, fun and plenty of performances, movie screenings, music, magic, crafts, games and more! Times vary. Free. La Villita Historic Arts Village, 418 Villita St. Call (210) 227-2751 or visit [MagikTheatre.org](http://MagikTheatre.org).

## 5

### FIRST SATURDAY HIKE: WILD FOOD AT FRIEDRICH

Take a family hike along Friedrich Park's trail with Master Naturalist Peter Ravdin and learn where animals find their food, and how these foods sustain wildlife and past native populations. Following the hike, taste delicious wild berry jams with mesquite flour muffins, courtesy of Meier Ranch Foods. 10-11:30 a.m. Friedrich Wilderness Park, 21395 Milsa. Suggested donation of \$3 per person, or \$6 per family. RSVP required. Call (210) 207-3782 or email [nicole.mcLeod@sanantonio.gov](mailto:nicole.mcLeod@sanantonio.gov).

## 5

### MERCADO O'LIVA

Come downtown to the site of San Antonio's original open-air market to experience a tradition that began more than 100 years ago! Mercado O'Liva features a variety of local artists and craftsmen, culinary goods and demonstrations, family-friendly events, informational tables, performances and more. The market takes place every first Saturday of the month. 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Free. Spanish Governor's Palace, 105 Military Plaza. Call (210) 207-8612 or visit [GetCreativeSanAntonio.com](http://GetCreativeSanAntonio.com).

## 5, 6, and 7

### REGIONAL POOLS OPEN FOR THE LABOR DAY HOLIDAY

Celebrate the holiday by staying cool and active at one of the Parks and Recreation Department's four regional pools from 1-7 p.m. Locations: Heritage, LBJ, South Side Lions and Woodlawn. Free. Call (210) 207-3299 for details.

## 5 - 7

### LABOR DAY CELEBRATION

Bring the family to Historic Market Square and join KEDA Radio for a three-day weekend full of live music, great food and plenty of fun activities. Noon-8 p.m. Free. Historic Market Square, 514 W. Commerce St. Call (210) 207-8600 or visit [GetCreativeSanAntonio.com/Marketsquare](http://GetCreativeSanAntonio.com/Marketsquare).

## 7

### CITY HOLIDAY - LABOR DAY

City Hall and most municipal offices will be closed to observe the Labor Day holiday on Monday, Sept. 7, 2015. For more information on holiday services, call 3-1-1 or visit [SanAntonio.gov](http://SanAntonio.gov).

## 8

### GET FIT SA WITH SONIA AND ANTONIO DANIELS

Join former San Antonio Spurs Antonio Daniels and his wife Sonia for a fun workout as they co-host a Zumba class. 10 a.m. Lou Hamilton Community Center, Lady Bird Johnson Park, 10700 Nacogdoches Road. Free. Call (210) 207-3054 for details.

## 8, 22

### PEOPLE'S NITE MARKET

The People's Nite Market at La Villita will be San Antonio's first nighttime farmer's market. Enjoy fresh and local produce, cooking demonstrations, fitness activities, craft vendors, international foods, live entertainment and more! The market will take place every other Tuesday through November 17. 6-10 p.m. Free. La Villita Historic Arts Village, 418 Villita St. Call (210) 207-8614 or visit [GetCreativeSanAntonio.com](http://GetCreativeSanAntonio.com).

## 12

### CITIZEN PREPAREDNESS WORKSHOP BECOMING AN ACTIVE BYSTANDER

The San Antonio Office of Emergency Management (SAOEM), in support of National Preparedness Month, invites you to the 6th annual Citizen Preparedness Workshop. The workshop encourages San Antonio residents to create a culture of preparedness. This interactive training prepares participants to be preparedness leaders in their neighborhoods and communities. 8 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Free. Emergency Operations Center, 8039 Challenger. Call (210) 206-8552 or register at [SAOEMprepare.com](http://SAOEMprepare.com).

## 12

### A DAY IN THE LIFE OF AN URBAN BEEKEEPER

Learn what it takes to be a beekeeper, the tools you need, and learn about harvesting the honey. Laura Salazar of Honey Love Bee Removal will share her knowledge and stories about honeybee rescue. 10 a.m.-11:30 p.m. Friedrich Wilderness Park, 21395 Milsa. Suggested donation: \$3 per child, \$6 per family. Call (210) 207-3782 for details.

## 12

### 2015 INTERNATIONAL ACCORDION FESTIVAL

Celebrate San Antonio's love of the accordion with a day-long cultural celebration featuring live musical performances on four stages. Food and merchandise booths will be on-site. Noon-10 p.m. Free. La Villita Historic Arts Village, 418 Villita St. Visit [InternationalAccordionFestival.org](http://InternationalAccordionFestival.org) for details.

## 12

### ZUMBA PARTY

Join us for an urban zumba party in the heart of downtown with exciting giveaways, vendors and fun for people of all ages. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Free. 301 E. Travis St. Visit [TravisParkSA.com](http://TravisParkSA.com) for details.

## 12 - 13

### FIESTAS PATRIAS AT MARKET SQUARE

Join Market Square and LULAC Council #648 in a commemoration of Mexico's Independence! Enjoy two full days of live music, arts and crafts, and great food. 11 a.m.-11 p.m. on Saturday and 11 a.m.-10:30 p.m. on Sunday. Free. Historic Market Square, 514 W. Commerce St. Call (210) 207-8600 or visit [GetCreativeSanAntonio.com/Marketsquare](http://GetCreativeSanAntonio.com/Marketsquare).

## 12, 26

### HEB FAMILY FILM SERIES

Bring the entire family for free movie screenings. Load up your lawn chairs, blankets and snacks to enjoy during the movie. Free popcorn and give-aways will also be available. "Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible No Good, Very Bad Day" will be screened on September 12 and "Guardians of the Galaxy" will be featured on September 26. Gates at 7 p.m., movie screenings begin 15 minutes after dusk. Free. Mission Marquee Plaza, 3100 Roosevelt Ave. Call (210) 207-8612 or visit [GetCreativeSanAntonio.com](http://GetCreativeSanAntonio.com).

## 12, 26

### MISSION MARQUEE MARKET

Mercado O'Liva and the Department for Culture & Creative Development bring together local growers and authentic artisans, craftsmen, and artists to sell their goods in this historic Southside location. The market features fresh and local organic produce, chef-created items, hand-made local wares and more. 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Free. Mission Marquee Plaza, 3100 Roosevelt Ave. Call (210) 207-8612 or visit [GetCreativeSanAntonio.com](http://GetCreativeSanAntonio.com).

## 15

### FREE CONCERT SERIES AT LA VILLITA

Enjoy a free concert at La Villita's historic Arneson River Theatre every third Tuesday of the month through October, presented by the San Antonio Current and Coors Light. The show will feature local, regional and national bands of various music genres. As part of Downtown Tuesday, parking at City-operated parking garages, parking lots and parking meters is free after 5 p.m. Show is 7-10 p.m. Free. La Villita Historic Arts Village, 418 Villita St. Call (210) 207-8614 for details.

## 18

### BRAVO! MI CULTURA – HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH PERFORMANCE

Enjoy an award winning dance and musical performance celebrating Hispanic Heritage Month that captures the flavor and passion of San Antonio and its cultural roots in Mexico. ¡BRAVO! Mi Cultura features the Parks and Recreation Department's Fandango and Alamotion Dance Troupes. Free. Donations accepted. 8 p.m. Arneson River Theater in La Villita. Note: Rain date is Sept. 20. Call (210) 207-3132.

## 19 and 20

### JAZZ SA'LIVE

The best local, regional, national and international Jazz musicians in a two-day outdoor festival in San Antonio's beautiful Travis Park. All Day. Free. 301 E. Travis St. Visit [TravisParkSA.com](http://TravisParkSA.com) for details.

## 19

### CULTURE, HEALTH & FITNESS FAIR

Come celebrate the vibrancy and wellness of children, families, and youth at the annual Diez y Seis de Septiembre Culture, Health, and Fitness Fair, featuring a variety of healthy activities and informational tables. Youth are invited to learn the latest techniques in soccer and golf. There is no fee to participate and equipment will be provided. 9 a.m. Free. Mission Marquee Plaza, 3100 Roosevelt Ave. Call (210) 207-5951 or visit [GetCreativeSanAntonio.com](http://GetCreativeSanAntonio.com).

## 19

### NFL PUNT, PASS AND KICK EVENT

Youth, ages 6-15, are invited to show off their football skills. Participants punt, pass and kick a football and accumulate points by distance and accuracy. Registration begins at 9 a.m., competition at 10 a.m. Wheatley Heights Sports Complex, 200 Noblewood Dr. Free. Call (210) 207-3151 for details.

## 19

### DÍA DE LOS NIÑOS

Enjoy a variety of children's activities and participate in a family-friendly environment. The event will feature art vendors, informational booths, kids activities and more. 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Free. La Villita Historic Arts Village, 418 Villita St. Call (210) 207-5951 for details.

## 19

### MARIACHI CONCERT

This free concert features middle school and high school Mariachi groups from throughout San Antonio and surrounding cities. The evening also will feature special dance performances by the Guadalupe Dance Company. Pre-show begins at 3 p.m. Free. La Villita Historic Arts Village, 418 Villita St. Call (210) 207-5951 for details.

## 19

### HISTORIC HOMEOWNER FAIR

A unique opportunity to interact and discuss issues related to caring for a historic home. There will be educational session and hands-on repair demonstrations. 9:30 a.m.-3 p.m. Free. Pearl, Full Good Studio & Breezeway at 200 E. Grayson St. (210) 215-2974 or visit [SanAntonio.gov/Historic](http://SanAntonio.gov/Historic).

## 25 & 26

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## 26

### ALAMOTION AND FANDANGO DANCE TROUPE AUDITIONS

Dancers, 11-19, who are interested in furthering their career by gaining experience performing in front of live audiences, are invited to audition for one of the Parks and Recreation Department's two award winning dance troupes. Alamotion auditions are from 1-3 p.m. with registration at noon and Fandango auditions are from 4-6 p.m. with registration at 3 p.m. Berta Almaguer Dance Studio, 138 S. Josephine Tobin Dr. Call (210) 207-3132 for details.

## 26 - 27

### HISPANIC HERITAGE WEEKEND

Dancers, 11-19, who are interested in furthering Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month with two days of live music, food booths, arts & crafts for the entire family and more! Noon-6 p.m. Free admission. Historic Market Square, 514 W. Commerce St. Call (210) 207-8600 or visit [GetCreativeSanAntonio.com/Marketsquare](http://GetCreativeSanAntonio.com/Marketsquare).

## 27

### SICLOVIA

Siclovia is San Antonio's largest health and wellness event. Siclovia turns city streets into a safe place for families to run, ride bikes, and participate in exercise classes. 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Free. Broadway St. between Alamo Plaza and Lion's Field. Visit [Siclovia.org](http://Siclovia.org) for details.

## 29

### EVENING IN TRAVIS PARK

Enjoy the serenity of our beautiful park with musical entertainment and food trucks during Downtown Tuesday. Free. 5 p.m.-8 p.m. Visit [TravisParkSA.com](http://TravisParkSA.com) for details.

## In the Spotlight

### COSAGOV TEXTS



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